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TRANSMITTAL LETTER			TO THE UNITED STATES	2945-173					
		DESIGNATED/ELECT	ED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)	U.S. Application No. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5)					
		CONCERNING A FILI	NG UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371	10/501,760					
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/DE03/00103			INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE January 16, 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED January 19, 2002					
TITLE OF INVENTION RECHARGEABLE ELECTROCHEMICAL BATTERY CELL									
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:									
1.	[] This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371								
2.	[X]	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.							
3.	[]	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.							
4.	[]	The US has been elected (Article 31).							
5.	[]	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) a. [] is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. [] has been communicated by the International Bureau. c. [] is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)							
6.	[]	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). a. [] is attached hereto. b. [] has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).							
7.	[]	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) a. [] are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. [] have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. [] have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. [] have not been made and will not be made.							
8.	[]	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).							
9.	[]	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).							
10.	[]	[] An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).							
ITEMS 11. TO 20. below concern other document(s) or information included:									
11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20.		An assignment document for red A preliminary amendment. An Application Data Sheet under A substitute specification. A power of attorney and/or addr A computer-readable form of the A second copy of the published A second copy of the English la		: 13 <i>ter</i> .2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825 1)(4).					

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c. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2135. NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been that, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.									
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